

STATE OF MONTANA

REGISTRATION of FOREIGN LIMITED PARTNERSHIP APPLICATION



Prepare, sign, submit with an original signature and filing fee

This is the minimum information required.

(This space for use by the Secretary of State only)

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Filing Fee: \$20.00

- ☐ **24 Hour Priority Filing Add \$20.00**
☐ **1 Hour Expedite Filing Add \$100.00**

1. The name of the foreign limited partnership in state of origin:

The name under which the foreign limited partnership proposes to register and transact business in Montana (if different from above). Must contain "limited partnership", "l.p." or "lp" designation.

2. The state in which it was formed: _____

3. The date of its formation: _____

4. The name and address of the Registered Agent for service of process in Montana:

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____, MT Zip Code: _____

Signature of Registered Agent (Required) _____

5. Pursuant to [35-12-1302\(4\)](#), [MCA](#), the Secretary of State is appointed the agent of the foreign limited partnership for service of process if no agent has been appointed pursuant to [35-12-1302\(3\)](#) or, if appointed, the agent's authority has been revoked or the agent cannot be found or served with the exercise of reasonable diligence.

6. The address of the office required to be maintained in the state of organization, or the address of the Principle Office:

7. The name and business address of each general partner: _____

8. The address of the office where a list of limited partners and capital contributions are kept:

I, HEREBY SWEAR AND AFFIRM, under penalty of law, that the facts contained in this Application are true and submitted for the purposes of registering a Limited Partnership.

Signature of General Partner

Date

HELP SHEET: Application for Registration of Foreign Limited Partnership

Complete this form before transacting business in the state of Montana as a foreign limited partnership. A foreign limited partnership may not file and defend any action, suit, or proceeding in any court in Montana before registering with the Secretary of State. ([35-12-1307, MCA](#))

Item 1

If the name your business intends to transact business under in Montana is different than the business name used in other states, please list both. ([35-12-1304, MCA](#))

Item 5

Agent must be a resident of Montana, a domestic corporation, or a foreign corporation authorized to do business in Montana. ([35-12-1302, MCA](#))

Item 7

If listing general and limited partners please designate general from limited when listing their names and addresses. Please note that if a general partner is an entity name rather than an individual, that entity must be registered and in good standing with the Montana Secretary of State.

This form **MUST** be signed by a general partner.

The Secretary of State will send a certificate of registration to you once your document has been filed with the office.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please type or print clearly when filling out this form.

ALL INFORMATION PUBLIC

All information provided, including names and addresses of officers and directors, will be made available on the Secretary of State's web site or upon request.

LEGAL AND ACCOUNTING IMPLICATIONS

There are important legal and accounting implications with respect to this corporation action. Suitable legal and accounting advice should be secured before submission. The Secretary of State's office suggests that such advice be sought prior to filling out forms to be sure that you understand the terms and procedures.

FORM PROCESSING TIME

Please be advised that the Business Services Bureau of the Montana Secretary of State will process your business documents within 10 working days of initial receipt.

- During this period if it is determined that your document does not meet statutory requirements, a letter outlining the deficiencies will be returned to the original submitter.
- If the document is complete and correct, the document will be filed and an acknowledgment copy showing completion returned to the original submitter.

PRIORITY FILING

- You may request 24 hour priority filing of your document by simply marking the "24 hour priority filing" box and include an additional \$20.00 with your filing fee.
- You may request 1 hour expedite filing of your document by marking the "1 hour priority filing" box and including an additional \$100.00 with your filing fee.

SUBMISSION

Make checks payable to the Secretary of State. Upon completion, mail with ORIGINAL SIGNATURE to:

Secretary of State
PO Box 202801
Helena, MT 59620-2801

CONTACT US

If you have any questions regarding this form, please contact the Secretary of State Business Services at (406) 444-3665.